

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

CHARLES JACKSON, )  
Plaintiff, ) Civil Action No. 17-1237  
v. ) Judge Cathy Bissoon  
ERIC R. ARMEL, *et.al.*, ) Magistrate Judge Maureen P. Kelly  
Defendants. )

## MEMORANDUM ORDER

Magistrate Judge Kelly's Order denying Plaintiff's Motion to Appoint Counsel dated January 2, 2018 (see Doc. 15) was neither clearly erroneous nor contrary to law. See generally Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(a) (reciting standards of review governing magistrate judges' non-dispositive rulings). Accordingly, Plaintiff's Appeal (Doc. 16) is DENIED, and Judge Kelly's ruling is AFFIRMED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

January 16, 2018

s/Cathy Bissoon  
Cathy Bissoon  
United States District Judge

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